



Provider Communication

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Dear Provider:

The Department of Community Health (DCH) recognized that many of its trading partners would benefit from additional time beyond October 15, 2003 to continue using local codes and non-standard formats while they convert to standard national codes and X12 formats. Therefore, DCH did not implement the national code sets on October 16, 2003. Please continue to bill local codes until December 31, 2003. DCH has allowed its trading partners to submit in their current production format after October 16, 2003.

Thank you,

The Department of Community Health